

Interview Summary

Application No.

10/083,726

Applicant(s)

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Examiner

Robert M. Pond

Art Unit

3625

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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(3) Mr. Steven Winkelman, Assignee Representative.

(2) Mr. Richard Oney, #36,884.

(4) Mr. Louis Lofredo, Paralegal.

Date of Interview: 08 July 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant

2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes

e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-4.

Identification of prior art discussed: Raveis and Gilgoff.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Reviewed thrust of claimed invention; use of confirmation code was mentioned. The Examiner determined a review of the specification pertaining to the confirmation code was necessary. Subsequent to the interview, the Examiner reviewed the specification to assess subject matter not previously applied in the claims.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

/Robert M. Pond/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3625